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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yoji ASAHI, et al.

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For:

SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE SUBSTRATE

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed August 23, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on November 23, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested. A listing of the claims is provided for the convenience of the Examiner.